



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: ERNEST W. MOODY

Serial No.: 10/015,108

Art Unit: 3711

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Examiner: Mendiratta, Vishu K.

For: ELECTRONIC MULTI-HAND STUD POKER GAMES WITH PAYOUT MULTIPLIERS

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. BOX 1450

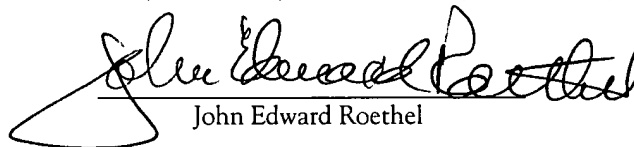
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PETITION AND FEE FOR THREE MONTH

EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.136(a))

Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2003, for THREE months from January 3, 2004 to April 3, 2004.

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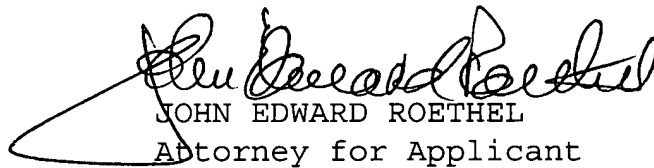
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Submitted herewith is a check for \$475.00 to cover the costs of this extension. This is the first extension of time to this Office Action.

Applicant claims small entity status for this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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